

LEND TO THE UTMOST! BUY LIBERTY BONDS

THE WEATHER

Fair, not much change in temperature, tonight and Thursday. Light, variable winds.
Sun rises 6:30, sets 6:15.
Moon sets 5:30 p. m., sets 4:45 p. m.
High tide 1:30 p. m., low tide 7:30 p. m.
Temperature at noon, maximum, 55 at noon; minimum, 45 at 1 a. m.; average, 50. Temperature at noon, 55.
Light at sunrise at 6:34 p. m.

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14 TO 15, 10,000 GERMAN TAKEN REPORT TURK PEACE BID ON WAY U. S. MEN AND BRITISH IN CAMBRAI

WILSON REPLY HITS AT KAISER

Leaves Peace Door Open to
German People Themselves;
Puts Offer to Acid Test

By JOHN EDWIN NEVIN,
International News Service Staff Cor-
respondent.

Washington, Oct. 9.—President Wilson has not opened the way for fruitless exchange between Germany and the United States. Officials made this fact emphatically clear today in discussing the President's three questions addressed to Germany, touching upon her good faith in proposing an armistice and peace negotiations.

The President has asked for information. He is perfectly free to do as he believes wisest when that information is in his hands. Suggestions that he has opened a door to general negotiations are resented in official circles. Incidentally, officials took great pains to point out that certain Congressional criticism of the President's position was made without consideration of his fourteen peace articles in connection with his inquiry to the German Chancellor.

CONFERES WITH LANSING.
President Wilson went to the State Department during the noon hour and held a conference with Secretary of State Lansing. It was assumed, of course, that the note to Germany was the topic of discussion. Soon after the President arrived General March, chief of staff, was sent for.

Administration circles this afternoon again made it plain that so soon as the German people are ready to accept the terms of the peace, the United States will be ready to accept them. The President has asked for information. He is perfectly free to do as he believes wisest when that information is in his hands. Suggestions that he has opened a door to general negotiations are resented in official circles. Incidentally, officials took great pains to point out that certain Congressional criticism of the President's position was made without consideration of his fourteen peace articles in connection with his inquiry to the German Chancellor.

**N. Y. SUBSCRIPTIONS UP
\$32,516,600 OVER NIGHT**
New York, Oct. 9.—Liberty Loan officials here were more optimistic today when an increase in subscriptions over night of \$2,516,600 was announced by the Federal Reserve Bank. This brings the total for the New York district to \$32,516,600.

GIANT GERMAN CANNON CAPTURED BY BRITISH TROOPS



Just a few of the high-powered guns of the German army taken in British drive on the western front. Used by the invaders with much success in the past, the big guns will now be turned against the Kaiser to blast him out of Belgium.

FOUR MILLION GAIN IN N. E. ON LOAN

That the German peace "offensive" has developed into a boomerang was indicated today by the \$4,000,000 gain over the previous day registered by the returns for the ninth day of the "Fighting Fourth" Liberty Loan. "Today's report from 727 of the 824 banks in the New England Federal Reserve District showed a total of \$27,475,000. While this figure disclosed a gain over the previous day, it was, nevertheless, approximately \$5,000,000 short of the \$25,000,000 daily average required to put New England over the top of its \$500,000,000 quota by October 15.

The New England total for the ninth day, gratifying as it was in registering public sentiment following the Kaiser's peace bid, was not fully up to expectations. Officials at Liberty Loan headquarters at No. 95 Milk street pointed out that today's figures were considerably under the daily required average, for the fourth consecutive day. A vigorous effort is demanded in the next few days to make up the deficit.

Allies Capture 4,400 Cannon, 25,000 Machine Guns

Paris, Oct. 9.—More than 4,500 guns and something like 25,000 machine guns have been captured by the Americans, British and French since they took the offensive on July 18, according to figures compiled here today. Besides this it is estimated that the Germans have lost an average of 1,500 cannon a month through damage and deterioration.

Three are good grounds for believing that these equipment losses has a lot to do with the war lords' latest bid for peace.

BULLETINS!

Paris, Oct. 9.—"Southeast of St. Quentin we have captured the German positions at Apremont and the defensive works between Harly and Neuville St. Amand," the War Office announced today. (Harly and Neuville St. Amand are respectively east and southeast of St. Quentin.)

"There was violent artillery activity south of the Oise River and on the Suippe River (Champagne front)."

"North of the Aisne, the Germans counter-attacked our newly won positions yesterday in the Lourdes-Pertes sector, but the attempts broke down. Prisoners were taken."

"In the Arnes River sector we took 600 more prisoners yesterday."

Paris, Oct. 9.—Ten thousand German prisoners were captured by the allies on the western front yesterday, the Echo de Paris announced today.

**NEED 20,000 "CAS HOUNDS"
FOR ARMY TRANSPORT**
New York, Oct. 9.—Twenty thousand "cas hounds" or "mechanics" for the army Motor Transport Corps are wanted by the War Department. They will be inducted into service as fast as they qualify. It was announced today. Men from every classification in both the first and second drafts are eligible and extra pay will be allowed qualified mechanics.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT
Boston bank statement: \$48,000,000
Boston sub-treas credit \$42,344
N. Y. bank clearing: \$79,063,556
N. Y. sub-treas. debit: \$4,000,000

FOCH ANSWERS PEACE DRIVE WITH SIGNAL VICTORIES

Smashing allied victories were reported today from France, grouped chiefly as follows:

- 1—British and American forces have entered Cambrai. Fourteen villages between Cambrai and St. Quentin have been captured. The allied forces on the western front yesterday captured 10,000 prisoners.
- 2—The Germans are preparing for another retreat in Northern France which may end in their backing out of nearly all of France and a great part of Belgium.
- 3—Pershing's first American army has launched a double drive east and west of the Meuse River. Marked gains were made. East of the Meuse the Americans captured four villages and a fortified farm and took a whole German battalion, with its commander and fifteen mortars. West of the Meuse American and French forces took Cornay and recaptured Hill No. 223. At last report our troops were driving ahead along both sides of the river.
- 4—The Germans are evacuating their positions in the Argonne forest. The Americans pocketed these positions and have been shelling them.

With such smashing strokes does Foch talk to the peace-seeking Kaiser.

Matty Baldwin Dead at Charlestown, Grip Victim

Matty Baldwin, son of the best known and greatest boxer in America, died today of influenza after a week's illness at his home in Charlestown. He leaves a wife and two daughters. Both are very sick from the same disease.

Matty was born in Charlestown in 1884. He started his boxing career in 1902. His last bout was with Charley White of Chicago, Oct. 5, 1915. White winning in the first round.

During his career he fought over 200 battles, meeting the best very men from the light-weight class. Among the prominent men Matty met were Jim Braddock, Cassius Marz, Eddie McHugh, all of England, Ad Wiggins, Ray Brown, Louie Cross, Freddy Walsh, Young Boyler, Willie Wilson, K. O. Brown, Eddie Murphy, Gilbert Gallant and Phil Brock.

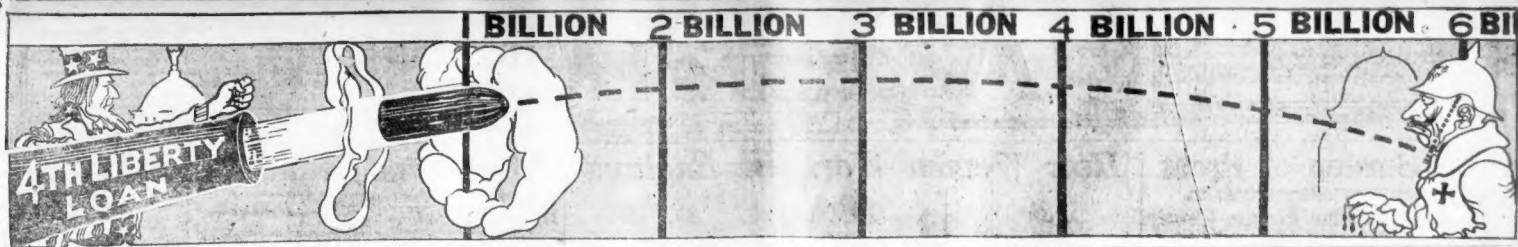
324,000 More Germans Are Rushed to Stop Attacks

By JOHN T. PARKERSON,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.
With the British Army on the Cambrai-Quentin front, too, a 15 p. m. attack was launched by the Germans. They were driving in approximately 23 divisions (150,000 men) in an effort to stop the tide of American and British troops that are rolling forward on the Cambrai-Quentin battlefield.

TURKEY SENDS PEACE NOTE THROUGH SPAIN.
London, Oct. 9.—Turkey's peace note to the United States has been dispatched through Spanish diplomatic channels, said a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam this afternoon.

RHODE ISLAND CARMEN THREATEN STRIKE.
Rhode Island carmen on all trolley lines will go on strike Oct. 16, unless the Rhode Island Co. before that date grants the wage increase ordered by the National Labor Board.

All regular editions
of the
BOSTON AMERICAN
will be omitted
Columbus Day, Oct. 12.



PEOPLE ANSWER PEACE PLEA BY BUYING BONDS

249 New England Towns "Over
the Top," Boston's Total for
Day \$10,409,000

(Continued from First Page)

After a quiet day, Boston's last
millions during the past four days.
In addition to equally vigorous ef-
forts in other cities, the Boston
office is credited with maintaining the
advance over yesterday registered by
today's total.

"Keep up the good work! Double
it! You still have your head! Don't
let New England lag!"

Advertisement.

Make Your Stomach Your Best Friend

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Dis-
gest the Food, Prevent Sour-
ness and Make You Feel
Fine All Over.

If you feel any distress after eating
take a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet. You
will then have a good, steady friend
your stomach, for he never fails.
You will not have to be gas, no sour
stomach, no indigestion, no heartburn,
no distress, no sleepless nights, no
headache, no dizziness, no nervousness,
no loss of appetite, no loss of weight,
no loss of strength, no loss of vitality,
no loss of color, no loss of hair, no
loss of beauty, no loss of health, no
loss of happiness, no loss of peace,
no loss of joy, no loss of love, no
loss of life.

PIMPLES ON FACE ITCHED & BURNED

Large and Hard, Face
Looked Badly, Cuticura
Healed.

"My face broke out in pimples. The
pimples were large and hard, and
the skin was itchy as they could be.
They itched and burned
making me scratch them
endangering my face to look
badly, as the scratching
made it worse."
"Then I used Cuticura
Soap and Ointment, and I
used two cakes of Cuticura Soap with
the Ointment, and my face is healed."
Signed Clifford Martin, 22 Cliff Street,
Boston, N. H., March 8, 1918.

LEMON JUICE WHITENS SKIN

Girls! Make beauty lotion
at home for few cents

Remove the flake of two lemons into
a bottle containing three ounces of
almond white, shake well, and you
have a quart of the best beauty
lotion and skin whitener, and a
glowing complexion, at very, very small cost.

LICKS MAN TO PEACOCK

"Next to the peacock, man is the vainest creature that struts upon
the earth," a prominent Boston society woman declared recently in an informal
talk before the Ladies' National League.

SEARCH YOURSELF

MORE than a million American boys are in France today,
ready if need be to lay down their lives for the perpetua-
tion of the liberties that we Americans have come to know
and love. More than 13,000 have already paid in full the price
of armed defense of these liberties and the national honor.
Some 20,000 others have been wounded, some slightly, some
maimed for life. Many are physical wrecks, broken and blind-
ed, deaf and demented. Some thousands more are suffering
the horrors of German prison camps.

BUT YOU ARE LIVING AS USUAL. YOUR DAILY
ROUTINE HAS BEEN BUT LITTLE IF ANY CHANGED.
THE WAR HAS AFFECTED YOU PRACTICALLY NONE.

At all.

You alone know just how loyally you have come to the
support of your country and your brother Americans in the
trenches. You know better than anyone else just how much
you have contributed to the Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A., the
Knights of Columbus, the Salvation Army and the various
other organizations active in war work and war aid.

YOU KNOW HOW MUCH LESS THE DEMAND HAS
MEANT TO YOU THAN TO THOSE WHO HAVE GONE TO
THE FRONT. HOW MUCH YOUR CITIZENSHIP HAS
MEANT AS WELL.

If you don't appreciate this then SEARCH YOURSELF.
See just how well you stack up.
Then make good. Your bonds.

A. K. call which went out to New England today from headquarters.
According to the report, the total number of individual subscrib-
ers represented in the day's re-
port is 40,000, with a total of \$10,409,000.

The standing of the States on the
day's work and including their total
is as follows:

MAINE	\$1,000,000	VERMONT	\$1,000,000
NEW HAMPSHIRE	\$1,000,000	NEW JERSEY	\$1,000,000
MASSACHUSETTS	\$1,000,000	CONNECTICUT	\$1,000,000
NEW YORK	\$1,000,000	PAID	\$1,000,000
NEW JERSEY	\$1,000,000	NEW YORK	\$1,000,000
CONNECTICUT	\$1,000,000	MAINE	\$1,000,000
VERMONT	\$1,000,000	NEW HAMPSHIRE	\$1,000,000
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CONNECTICUT	\$1,000,000	NEW YORK	\$1,000,000
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MASSACHUSETTS	\$1,000,000	CONNECTICUT	\$1,000,000
NEW YORK	\$1,000,000	PAID	\$1,000,000

Boston total for the day was \$10,409,000.

Mass. (which added today to the
list of those over-subscribing their
quota) were: Tremont, Vindicator,
World, World-Knight, in Maine as
a unit, was reported over-sub-
scribed.

Maine is working actively to equal
Vermont in the number of subscrib-
ers over the top. The Green Mountain
State led at 10,000 with 97 subscrib-
ers and towns over-subscribed
in 10,000 against 30 for Maine.
New Hampshire has 57. The total to
date in New England is 148, with
those of the latest arrivals, Georgian
College, Brookline and Prospect Har-
bor, Maine, March 8, 1918.

HONOR ROLL AT WESTON

Springfield sent word today that the
committee estimated \$10,000,000 in
pledges and subscriptions in eight
hours, out of a quota of \$10,000,000.
The committee also has actively be-
gun to collect the money. The return
of the first two days has been
no more reached the quota as yet.
Weston reports having \$10,000,000
subscribed towards her quota of
\$10,000,000. Its committee is getting all
the money it can. The town of
the town and it will be
four weeks of every individual
of the physical tax of
living all the individuals have
brought has been accepted.
Plymouth County reports that
with the return of the epidemic
influenza things were looking
consequently brighter, and a vigorous
effort to employ every moment of
the remaining days to put the town
over the top would be made.

SHOP MEETINGS.

It is the custom of nearly every
town in the State to hold at regular
intervals, usually weekly, a "shop"
meeting, or "manager" meeting.
These meetings are held for business
reasons, and are small in number and
in no way conflict with the requests of
the War Office. All towns at this
meeting can make a general con-
tribution to the war effort for selling
Liberty Bonds, making general cards,
Liberty Bonds, and Liberty Bonds.
The town of Weston is now in the
habit of holding these meetings to
back soldiers, beginning the first

MASSACHUSETTS WOMEN'S COMMITTEES REPORT TOTAL OF \$8,636,300 TO DATE

The Women's Liberty Loan Com-
mittee of Massachusetts, Mrs. Har-
riet Wood, chairman, reports a total
of \$8,636,300 for its women subscrib-
ers.

Mrs. F. L. Hingham, Federal Re-
serve chairman for New England, re-
ported the following report today
from Mrs. George A. Wood, executive
chairman for the (Maine):

Report for day (Maine):
\$1,111,100; previous sales, \$1,011,100
total, \$2,122,200.

Vermont: Mrs. Edward Curtis
Smith, chairman, reports \$9,400 for
the work of the women's committee
on Tuesday, making a total of \$1,
075,500 to date.

From Rhode Island, Mrs. Walter A.
Teas, chairman, reports \$1,011,100
for the day, making a total of \$1,
011,100 to date.

NAVY MEN HAVING

The Hingham station is the
first naval station to win an in-
dustrial pennant. It reports 612 men
on duty, or 67.6 per cent, on sub-
scriptions in the town.

More than \$10,000 of the "Fighting
Patriot" Liberty Loan has been sub-
scribed by officers and crews in the
station.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation
of the scalp, the hair roots shrink,
loosen and then the hair comes out
lifeless. To stop falling hair at once and
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that will soothe the scalp and keep it
cool and moist. A small bottle of Dandruff
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a little in your water and rub well into
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Hurry, Mother! Remove
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Our boys over there are on the road
to Victory!

The least lagging on your part means
that American blood and money will
be gone for nothing.

We must not fail!

Dig! And dig hard TODAY for the
Fourth Liberty Loan.

Remember this war isn't won yet,
and it won't be until YOUR subscription
reaches the hands of your Uncle Sam!

Now, GO TO IT! Remember you are
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(Retelied from the motion picture, "The Hurdles of Proof," based on a drama by Victorien Sardou and produced by the Marion Davies Film Corporation. Staged by Julius Steger. Scenario by E. M. Weiler. Screen version copyrighted.)



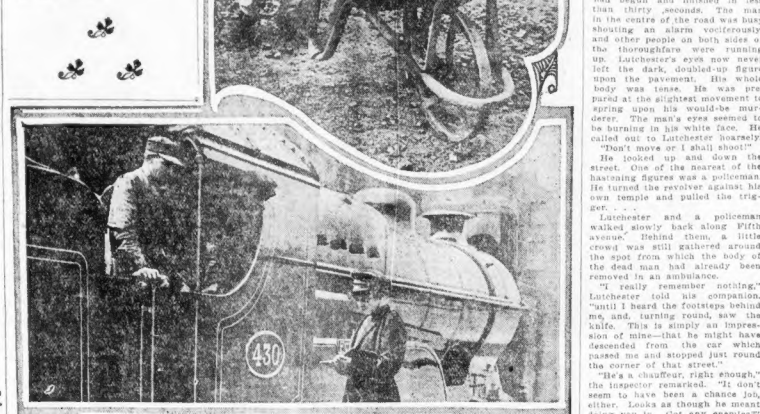
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Wednesday, October 9



England's women workers have been one of the big surprises of the world war. Women and girls have

shown themselves capable of filling practically all positions previously held by men and boys. The strength and endurance of the women have equalled their adaptability and no work seems too hard for them. One of their hardest tasks and one which they met well was in the coal mines.



A NEW SERIAL OF YOUNG MARRIED LIFE

CHAPTER XXVI.—(Continued) — the man's disappearance for the . I am exceedingly sorry, Mr. Lut-

THE annual expenditure of the British Red Cross Society is now over £4,000,000. Twenty-five thousand pounds a week is spent on medical and other stores being sent to the different theatres of war, and £40,000 a week in comforts for prisoners of war.

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By BEATRICE FAIRFAX



AUTO grease, dirt and stains of every sort.

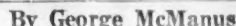


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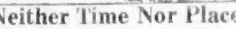
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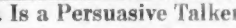
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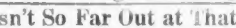
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Tuning Up at Home

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Trifling With a Human Life

Read the following ghastly story:
REPRIEVE AN HOUR TOO LATE—PRISONER ELECTRO-CUTTED BEFORE PAPERS ARRIVE—Cleveland, Oct. 4.—Pasquale Biondi, of Akron, convicted of murder of an Akron policeman, was electrocuted in the Ohio penitentiary at Columbus early today just an hour before papers granting a stay of execution reached the prison. Slowness of the mails was blamed for the delay.

The reprieve papers were signed by Appellate Judge Grant at Akron a week ago, but the signature of another judge of the Appellate Court was required before the stay would become effective. Attorneys for Biondi sent a court bailiff to Cleveland Tuesday to obtain the signature of the other judge. Appellate Judge Lawrence signed the papers Tuesday afternoon, which the clerk placed in the mail early Wednesday.

Think of the horrible incompetence and carelessness of an official who sends the document which spares a man's life until further investigation can be made of his guilt under a two-cent stamp, amid millions of other letters "passing the time of day, and telling what dress Mrs. Smith wears at the party the night before."

When public officials can trifling with human life like this, is there any wonder that sentiment is growing against the right to take human life which we cannot give.

Don't Talk Peace, Buy Bonds

The Real Purpose of the German Feeler May Be to Slow Up Our Fourth Liberty Loan

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Naturally, Germany wants peace—wants it and needs it desperately. She has waged four years of costly war, with the odds against her ever growing and her domestic conditions constantly becoming more and more perilous because of increasing destitution and the constant borrowing of funds, the payment of which must be conditioned upon victory.

In the last few months she has seen the tide of war setting steadily against her. One of her chief allies has abandoned the conflict and another is incapable of longer continuing it effectively, even if, indeed, she does not withdraw altogether.

Her own lines in France and Belgium are being constantly forced back nearer and nearer to her own frontiers, and the moment impends when she must face the calamity which she has abundantly forced upon her enemies—of having the horrors of invasion brought home to her own people.

For her losses in man-power there is no longer left to her any way of making good. She has called to the colors boys of seventeen and men far beyond the effective age for military service.

Meanwhile, she witnesses the response to her utterly needless, wanton and most undiplomatic challenge to the United States in the endless flood of young, vigorous and eager soldiers from this land—more than 300,000 in the last month—flocking to give battle to German autocracy and German aggressions.

Germany is plainly beaten. Her willingness to discuss peace now shows that her rulers are aware of that fact.

Let us consider some of the reasons why Germany may have put forth this feeler at just this moment. **AND WHILE SO CONSIDERING, BUY BONDS WITH REDOUBLED ZEAL.**

We are in the midst of floating a new Liberty Loan, the greatest that has yet been asked of our people. Our authorities have not been particularly reticent about declaring that the subscriptions were backward, and ascribing whatever lethargy exists to the feeling, bred of the series of victories in the last two months, that the war was as good as won, and that heavy financial sacrifices would no longer be required.

The German authorities are well informed of all that is going on in this country, including the state of public opinion. What more natural than that they should conclude that if a number of victories should make over-optimistic Americans believe the war is near over no further financial provision for it would be needed a proffer of peace would have the effect of drawing our pursestrings tight?

Let us remember that nothing could more greatly encourage the enemy, nothing so immediately revive in him the hope of still saving some of his conquests—none of which he has relinquished in his cry for peace—than any apparent purpose on the part of this people to withdraw from its Government the financial support it has hitherto so freely and eagerly accorded.

The possibility of accomplishing this end would in itself be sufficient warranty for the German proposals. For mark you, in proffering them that the Kaiser's Government has sacrificed nothing, unless it may be a little prestige with the home people, and even so to that we shall not know what specious excuses have been put forth to still home discontent.

Certainly the suppliant for peace has relinquished none of the booty he acquired in his days of insolent strength. His bloody hand still rests heavy on Belgium and upon all of France save those sections whence he has been driven by the advancing allies. He makes no suggestion of immediate retirement from those lands which he holds by right of the successful buccaner. Knowing that he will be presently forced to surrender all at the muzzle of our cannon, he seeks to save some part of his loot by the devious devices of diplomatic negotiation, in which he is adept.

The United States and its allies have a precedent by which to judge of German methods and purposes in peace conferences in what was done to Russia after that nation was disarmed by German intrigue. With that record of infamy and broken faith fresh in view, it is unlikely that any of the allies will be deceived by the specious propositions of Germany today.

AND MEANTIME THE VITAL THING IS TO DISAPPOINT GERMAN EXPECTATIONS BY SUPPORTING THE LIBERTY LOAN TO THE LIMIT. LET THE ENEMY SEE THAT WE DETECT THE MALICIOUS PURPOSE BEHIND HIS PROFFERS AND KNOW PRECISELY HOW TO DEFEAT IT.

Look Out!

By T. E. Powers



An Ideal American Officer

An Appreciation of Captain "Joe" McConnell by His Friend, George A. Flynn, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

SECTION OF every member of his company.

MAJOR JOSEPH W. MCCONNELL, of the 101st Regiment, who was killed in action on September 12, 1918, in the American victory at St. Mihiel, was the ideal American officer.

Born in western Massachusetts, an alumnus of Williams College and Boston University Law School, and a successful Boston lawyer, held in high esteem by the members of his profession, he had been in the State militia for the last ten years, first as a member of the Cadets, and later as a lieutenant in the 9th Regiment.

He was at the Mexican border with the 9th Regiment, and went overseas as first lieutenant and acting captain of Company A of the 101st Regiment of the National Guard; was among the first promoted to the rank of captain, and since July last was acting major in command of the First Battalion. It was offered a high commission in the Judge Advocate General's Department by reason of his skillful handling of several important court martial cases, but refused to leave his regiment.

Lead First Company

It was his honor to lead the first company of the National Guard into the trenches. During the advance at Chateau Thierry from July 18 to July 26, he was in command of the First Battalion of the 101st Regiment, which, we have learned from the reports of officers since returned, was surrounded by German artillery and snipers, and would have been wiped out but for his excellent military judgment and ability. It reached his objective with few casualties, and on the return of the regiment to its billets was hailed as the savior of the battalion.

He was much beloved by all the regiment. His unerring and exact sense of justice, his care and foresight for the welfare and safety of the members of his company, by whom he was affectionately called "The Skipper," his willingness to share all their perils and hardships, and their confidence in his ability to lead and command, brought to him the loyalty and affection of his men.

Modern methods of mining and smelting have made it probable to reopen a nickel mine in a way that was abandoned half a century ago.

Ye TOWNE GOSSIP

By K. C. B.

SHE WAS a little girl.
AND WHEN I opened the door.
SHE WAS standing there.
LOOKING UP at me.
AND SEEMED to be frightened.
AND STARTED to talk.
AND HESITATED.
AND STARTED again.
AND TOLD me her name.
AND THE name of her school.
AND THAT the children.
HAD ALL been asked.
TO SELL Liberty Bonds.
AND SHE had some cards.
AND WOULD I take one.
AND FILL it out.
AND BUY a bond.
AND I told her.
THAT the night before.
SOME OTHER little girls.
HAD BEATEN her to it.
AND I was sorry.
AND RIGHT away.
I COULD see her lips.
BEGINNING to twitch.
AND SHE cried.
AND I patted her shoulder.
AND TRIED to calm her.
BUT I couldn't.
SHE KEPT on crying.
UNTIL, in a minute.
WAS CRYING out loud.
AND MY wife came out.
AND SAID:
"WHAT DID you say to her.
"TO MAKE her cry?"
AND I tried to tell her.
BUT SHE couldn't hear me.
BECAUSE by that time.
THE NICE little girl.
WAS TRYING to talk.
WHILE SHE cried.
AND ANYWAY.
WE TOOK her inside.

OUT OF the hall.
AND BOUGHT a bond.
FOR FOUR dollars.
AND TWO dollars a week.
AND SHE stopped crying.
AND ATE an apple.
AND A place of cake.
AND WE all shook hands.
AND SHE thanked us.
AND WENT away.
AND A hour later.
WE WERE going out.
AND WALKING downstairs.
I COULD hear something.
THAT SEEMED familiar.
AND ON the second floor.
THE NICE little girl.
WAS STANDING there.
IN THE hallway.
AND CRYING.
AND A man and woman.
WITH THEIR door open.
WERE TRYING to quiet her.
AND BY the time.
WE REACHED the first floor.
SHE WAS crying on high.
AND I don't know.
IF THE man bought a bond.
BUT I think he did.
BECAUSE WHEN we came home.
JUST AFTER midnight.
THE LITTLE girl was gone.

BOO-HOO!
NOBODY
WAS BY
MY LIBERTY
BOND.

I THANK YOU.

OUIJA BOARD AND PALM READING FAITH

By Garrett P. Serviss

CAN science explain the actions of the "Ouija Board"? Should its dictations be followed? Also, should faith be given to readings of the palm? I mean reading given by non-professionals. If so, how can the lines in your hand have any direct indication of your future? I shall be anxiously waiting for your answer, as I'm worried extremely by a reading of the palm which an intimate friend of mine had recently.—P. L. Bron.

The plain implication of your question is that if science cannot, or does not, explain "the actions of the Ouija Board," then "those actions must be 'supernatural'." But there are many perfectly "natural" things which science has not, as yet, fully explained. For my part, and as far as my knowledge of the performance of the Ouija Board, or Planchette, goes, I think that ordinary common sense can furnish all the explanation needed. This toy of mystification consists, essentially, of a small, light board resting on three legs, two of which terminate in castors, or sliding feet, while the third has a pen or pencil attached to it. When it is placed upon a table with a sheet of paper under it and the fingers of one or more persons are rested lightly upon the surface of the board, the apparatus moves about a little on its feet and the pencil often traces out words, and even sentences, which sometimes appear to be answers to questions ostensibly addressed to some mysterious intelligence controlling the movement.

Experiment Suggested

Since specimens of these little machines, as good as any employed by professional performers, may readily be purchased, it is open to anybody to experiment for himself on their pretended powers.

It is usually claimed that "disembodied spirits" guide the motions of the board through the fingers of the "sitter" or "sitters." I would suggest that you determine by experiment whether the "spirits" can produce writing through the fingers of persons who do not know how to write, or whether they can write with the Planchette in a language that he does not understand.

The obvious explanation of these performances (where there is no intentional fraud or deception) lies in unconscious muscular movements guided by mental suggestion, analogous to those by which a hypnotist produces "muscle" or "hidden objects," who keeps hold of the subject's hand while leading him about the room or playing him with questions.

Surely it must be a very simple-minded person, and one easily imposed upon, who, knowing the common and manner of operation of the Ouija board and seeing how completely its movements are under the control of the operator, would have the audacity to give a vision by the innocent inquirer, would allow himself to be troubled by any pretended revelation, or "dictation," derived from such a source and ascribed to supernatural agency.

About Palmistry

And now, as to palmistry. This is no more entitled to be regarded as a means of penetrating the future than is the three-legged writing board, but it is one of the oldest of superstitions, and, like astrology, plays an interesting part in history. It has been known all over the world from the earliest times among people representing the highest civilizations, and famous personages learned by their time and great rulers of nations seen sometimes to have believed in it—which only shows out of what a complex of superstition and weakness, of acuteness and stupidity the mentality of man is made up.

THE LAST SACRIFICE OF HER SOLDIER LOVER

The pathetic story of the end of the Grand Opera Prima donna, married with her soldier sweetheart, whom she had loved as a man for many years, is told in the next Sunday's Magazine Section. The story of how Margaret, a girl who had loved her soldier lover, and how he, despite his love for her, returned the sacrifice she offered him, in the next.

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TODAY

A Questioning Answer.
Who Talks, Kaiser or People?
200,000 Chinese Coming.
Could We Protect Them?
By Arthur Brisbane

Every American will read with pride and approval the dignified message sent by the great President of this country to the Emperor of Germany in reply to the latest, real or false, peace move.

It is a message courteous, earnest and firm.

Are you speaking, Mr. German Chancellor, for the people of Germany or for the Emperor who has misled them into murder and ruin? With the people of Germany the United States will deal, at the right time, if they control and are able to make a treaty.

With the Kaiser who broke his word with a Little nation and substituted murder for a solemn treaty this nation will not deal, for it cannot take that man's word.

The President does not speak for other nations fighting for justice and democracy. He will not suggest to any nation that it shall cease fighting while a treacherous enemy is killing and robbing on the soil of that nation.

Go from land that is not yours, cease murdering those whom you have invaded. This nation will not advise any friend to deal with a criminal still intent upon his crime. That is the message sent in the name of America.

It is a noble message that the President sends, simple, quiet, earnest.

The President for this nation wants peace—but while injustice rules or threatens, peace does not interest America.

The President would not prolong the war one hour unnecessarily, or risk the life of any man except in a case of higher and holier than life.

Every American feels that his best thoughts, the nation's noblest feelings, have been expressed in the President's reply, which is in reality an earnest questioning of the world's greatest criminal.

And every American congratulates himself anew and earnestly upon the presence of such a man as Woodrow Wilson at the head of the nation at the most important hour of the world's history.

It is announced quite seriously that 200,000 Chinese laborers may be imported to take the place of men sent to war.

You are told that women and children are doing work and home for them; the Chinese are to be imported to do that work—and sent home again when the war is over and the men come home.

That is important news to many citizens of this country. How will they be sent back if they come over in a fact, as alleged, that the population of the Pacific coast, formerly opposed to Chinese immigration, now requests it as a relief measure?

Will not the Chinese available when the war ends be needed to bring 2,000,000 of Americans or more home from France as rapidly as possible? Will there be ships to take back the Chinese to their homes?

Since we refuse to admit them in times of peace and prosperity, how do we express the right national feeling in asking the Chinese to come now and do work that we cannot do for ourselves?

And if we allow them to come and relieve us in our moment of embarrassment, can we justly and decently say to them in a few weeks or months from now, "Go home, we are done with you?"

There are different problems involved in this suggestion of Chinese immigration.

The country can certainly wait a few weeks or months longer to see what happens in Europe, since we have waited so long.

If the war should end, all shipping available would be needed to bring Americans home; none could be spared to take Chinese laborers to the Pacific and in other directions.

And if the war should end, as it will soon, in all probability, every job in the country will be needed for the millions of men who will be demobilized from the army, and the demobilized from munition factories and other temporary work.

If the Chinese are to be sent to help us, appreciation of their willingness should be expressed sincerely and promptly. But acceptance of the offer should be considered very carefully.

We have and have had rare problems available would be needed to support in our hour of need hundreds of thousands of men for whom we would not be able to guarantee kind treatment, or even physical safety.

We should avoid unpleasant after-war discussions with our friends from Asia. Let us inquire what Great Britain does, in Canada, in Australia, where strict, almost harsh laws discourage all Asiatic immigration.